

As an active Flight Attendant and a member of the Association of Flight Attendants, I am writing to express my grave concerns for use of cell phones onboard aircraft in flight. What are you thinking?....Terrorists can use these phones to e-mail and communicate with eachother to take over a flight(does 9-11 ring a bell?), terrorists could also set off a bomb in the cargo pit (remember the Spain train incident?), If you can't use cell phones in hospitals(they interfere with some medical equipment),or movie theatres and some restaurants...why on earth should you be able to use them on an airplane going 400mph with zero visibility? And, we, as flight attendants have enough to look out for...possible threats, alcohol problems, heart attacks,fainting, fires etc...now you want to add the monitoring of cell phone use? I am adamantly opposed at this and I certainly hope that you will conclude that this is really a bad idea.